

# EAGLE



# NEWS

## Anderson Island Elementary

**September 13, 2024**

Good afternoon Eagle Families,

I want to start by thanking all of our amazing students and volunteers who made our walking field trip to the Johnson Family Farm such a great success! The students had a fantastic time, and I've included some pictures in this week's newsletter to share the fun. Thank you for your continued support—it truly makes a difference!

As we dive into the school year, I want to stress the importance of consistent attendance. Did you know that students who attend school regularly are 50% more likely to perform at grade level in reading and math? Missing just two days of school each month can add up to 18 days in a year—nearly 10% of the school year—and can significantly impact academic success. By being in school every day, your children are better positioned to stay on track, build good habits, and engage with their learning.

As we head into the weekend, I encourage everyone to get outside, enjoy the fresh air, and take some time to rest and recharge. And don't forget to pick up a good book! I look forward to seeing all of our Eagles back in the building on Monday, ready for another exciting week of learning. Have a wonderful weekend!

Best regards,

- Mr. Miller

Everyday

Fitness Club & Recess  
wear walking shoes  
dress for the weather

Mondays PE

Tuesdays STEAM

Wednesdays

Library Day

Return library books

ACE day

1:30 dismissal

Thursday STEAM & Music  
(starting 9/26)

Friday Outdoor  
Classroom

**Volunteer Needs**  
**Volunteers to walk**  
**with students**  
**8-8:20, daily**

**Outdoor Classroom**  
**12:30-1:30, Fridays**

**Library help one hour**  
**per week**



# Notes from the Classroom

We had an amazing 5 full days of school! I can't express how thankful I am for this wonderful caring community. This week we had a lesson on apple farming (and the importance of bees) and traveled back in time while exploring the old Johnson Farm House. Then, on Thursday we learned a new song with the talented Kit Bender!

Thank You to all the volunteers that make our little school a great place to learn and grow!

## Johnson Farm



## Outdoor Classroom

